

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An optical recording apparatus of the present invention has a semiconductor laser 5 for generating a light spot used for information recording, detection means 6 of detecting the aberration amount of the light spot, and control means 7 of controlling the output of the semiconductor laser 5 by use of the detected aberration amount.

1. An optical recording apparatus comprising:
a semiconductor laser for generating a light spot;
detection means for detecting an aberration amount of the light spot;
control means for controlling an output of the semiconductor laser by use of the detected aberration amount.